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Dear Members and Supporters,

On behalf of the Board of Directors and Leadership Team of the IAAND I would like to thank everyone for being part of our community, and we wish you a happy and healthy 2018!

Sincerely,

Your Newsletter Editor

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## **Vote on IAAND Bylaws**

We engaged in a process of revising the IAAND by laws and made changes including the name change we already introduced. Please vote on these changes as we intend to improve and update the rules of our organization according to the changing times and embrace the challenges these are

[Cancer](#)

bringing to us.

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## FREE IAAND Webinar

**Date:** January 10th, 2018**Time:** 18:00 GMT**Registration:** Please [click here](#)

IAAND Country Representative Chair Lisa Dorfman will moderate the first of this webinar series featuring regional Country Representatives from Latin America to explore traditional food practices and nutrition related health concerns. Each panelist will share national dietary guidelines, common foods, healthful and unhealthful regional food practices, food preparation techniques and tips to create healthful meals and alternatives to traditional dishes when needed.

### Learning Objectives

After this presentation, the participants will be able to:

- Understand the traditions supporting food choices, beliefs and practices in Argentina, Venezuela and Dominican Republic.
- Identify health challenges and nutrition consequences of eating habits and lifestyle behaviors in mentioned countries.
- Learn how to identify, traditional dishes and how to modify them when needed with ingredients that are culturally acceptable and available in selected countries.

## Open Country Representative Positions

We are seeking volunteers to act as a country representative (CR).

As a CR, you would:

- Represent IAAND within the country by establishing relationships with nutrition associations and dietetic professionals.
- Integrate IAAND members for nutrition issues within the country.
- Serve as an expert resource for IAAND/Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and interested parties for all nutrition issues with the country.

For more information, please contact [Lisa Dorfman](#), IAAND Country Representative Chair.

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## Membership Highlight: Submit National Honors and Awards Nominations

Do you know an outstanding role model who has advanced the nutrition and dietetics profession, exhibited leadership and shown devotion to serving others in both dietetics and allied fields? If so, recognize their contributions by nominating them for an Academy National Award. [Submit an intent to nominate](#) and then complete the full [online nomination](#) by March 1, 2018. Award recipients will be announced in May 2018 and recognized at the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics' 2018 Food & Nutrition Conference & Expo in Washington, D.C.

### Fellows Look Toward the Future

Are you a leader who gets things done, serves your community and pursues lifelong learning? It's time to be recognized as a Fellow of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (FAND). As the Academy celebrates 100 years and moves into its Second Century, showcase your expertise to employers, colleagues, clients and the public, now and forever. [Apply online today!](#)

For those who are already Fellows, you can win complementary Academy membership for recommending the Fellow Program to your Academy member

colleagues. If you know someone who has shown your level of dedication to the Academy, encourage them to apply and write your name in the "Referrer" field on the application. At the end of the year, we'll hold a drawing in which newly conferred Fellows and their referrers can win complimentary Academy memberships. You both could win!

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## National Nutrition Month 2018



Celebrate National Nutrition Month® with gifts featuring the 2018 official theme, Go Further with Food offered by The Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and Jim Coleman, Ltd. The Go Further with Food message encourages us to achieve the numerous benefits healthy eating habits offer, but it also urges us to find ways to cut back on food waste. [Learn more.](#)

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## Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition Report

[The Global Panel on Agriculture and Food Systems for Nutrition's new report](#) calls for policymakers, at all levels, to recognize the central role of high-quality, healthy diets in achieving the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development. Invisible in terms of SDG language and not mentioned among the many targets, healthy diets are a foundation underpinning successful progress toward targets in health, agriculture, inequality, poverty, and sustainable consumption.

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## Training Opportunity in Energetics and Cancer

Funded by the U.S. National Cancer Institute and led by Yale University's Dr. Melinda Irwin with a Senior Advisory Board and expert faculty from across North America, this program builds capacity in TD energetics and cancer research and is designed for early career investigators (junior faculty and postdocs). The Transdisciplinary Research on Energetics and Cancer (TREC) Training Workshop is a 5-day, in residence Workshop, which is offered annually and places emphasis on developing TD competencies focused on energetics (i.e., obesity, diet and exercise) and cancer. The 2<sup>nd</sup> annual course will be held June 17-22, 2018 at Water's Edge Resort, Westbrook, CT, USA. Costs are covered (excluding ground transportation).

Notification of Intent to apply is due January 2, 2018. Full applications are due Jan 15, 2018.

[Click here](#) for testimonials and to apply.

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## **Job Opportunities**

### [French Health Professional Program Consultant](#)

California Almonds  
Paris, London, or anywhere else in Europe

### [Nutrition Project Manager](#)

Medair  
Juba or Leer, South Sudan

### [Assistant/Associate Professor International Nutrition](#)

George Washington University  
Washington, DC, USA

### [Nutrition and Health Expert](#)

International Business & Technical Consultants, Inc. (IBTCI)  
Ethiopia

*Note: Positions are not necessarily endorsed by IAAND or the Academy of Nutrition*

*and Dietetics.*

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## **Save the Dates: Upcoming Conferences and Events**

### [Advances in Food Allergy & Hypersensitivity Research: Triggers and Treatment](#)

Online, January 16-18, 2018

### [National Anti Hunger Policy Conference](#)

Washington, DC, USA, February 25-28, 2018

### [7th Asian Congress of Dietetics](#)

Hung Hom, Hong Kong, July 6-8, 2018

Abstract submission before Jan 31st, 2018

### [10th Apollo International Clinical Nutrition Update \(AICNU\) 2018](#)

Chennai, India, August 4 – 5, 2018

### [International Congress of Dietetics \(ICD\)](#)

Cape Town, South Africa, September 15-18, 2020

### [International Congress of Nutrition](#)

Tokyo, Japan, September 14-19, 2021

*Note: Training events are not necessarily endorsed by IAAND or the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics*

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## **New Members and Supporters**

The IAAND would like to extend a warm welcome to our new members and supporters:

**Hong Kong**

Hoi Yin Chu

**Israel**

Ella Klyot

**Jordan**

Rawan Zakaria

**Lebanon**

Rola Abi Mosleh

Rola Hamdan

**Pakistan**

Romaina Iqbal

Sabeen Siddiqui

**Saudi Arabia**

Rehab Albakri

**United Kingdom**

Anna Kitt

**United States**

Gati Dharani

Krista Kerlinske

Ellen Kraushaar

Virginia Wade



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IAAND Mission is...

Empower members through professional development and promote international collaboration in the global nutrition and dietetics community

IAAND envisions a future where there is ...

A global community of dietitians engaged in food and nutrition related health initiatives with diverse populations

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